

WOMEN WOULD OUR SOLONS TO ACTION Federation of Clubs Cham- pions the Toilers.

AN APPEAL TO CONGRESS

Measure Advocated Calling for Investigation of Industrial Conditions of Women and Children.

CHICAGO, May 6.—Representatives of 800,000 women will petition Congress to pass the measure calling for an investigation of the industrial conditions surrounding the women and children who round the country when the members of the General Federation of Women's Clubs meet in St. Paul on May 20.

The demand that Congress take some action will be one of the most important questions that will arise during the convention. It is expected the sessions will be among the most important in the history of the club women.

Pure Food an Issue.

Many topics have already been assigned for discussion and it is expected that many of the debates will be lively. There is no question of sufficient importance, however, to overshadow all others. The question of pure food is likely to develop much discussion. A committee has been appointed to investigate this question, and it is expected the report will be followed by a general discussion.

The members of the industrial committee, of course, will recommend that Congress pass the act calling for an investigation of the conditions surrounding the women and children who work. Civil service reforms will offer another topic of discussion. Several of the delegates are in favor of radical reforms in the present methods and it is probable a lively debate will follow the introduction of the subject.

Consider Forestry Question.

Forestry will offer another subject that should develop a lively debate. It is possible that resolutions calling on Congress to assist in the work of saving the forests may be introduced, although this is not known definitely. A committee has been appointed to investigate the question.

Legislation will serve as another topic for discussion.

The members of the committee having this question in charge have not yet given an inkling of their findings and their recommendations are, of course, a secret.

Those in charge of the convention expect it to be an enthusiastic gathering.

KILLS BROTHER-IN-LAW IN RELIGIOUS FRENZY

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., May 5.—John Messer shot and killed his brother-in-law, Jacob McClellan, near the mouth of Burning Creek on Big Sandy river, south of here, as the result of religious frenzy.

Messer had recently professed religion at a revival meeting conducted by a rural evangelist. Since that time he has been one of the most fervent of the exhorters, praying incessantly for the conversion of his brother-in-law, McClellan.

McClellan seemed immovable, and at last Messer began to despair of his conversion. It is said that he brooded over the affair until his mind was deranged and that he imagined he had a vision which bade him slay the brother-in-law. In obedience to this fancied commission he loaded a shot gun with heavy buckshot, called McClellan to the door, and fired the charge at short range into his body.

Messer was arrested and will probably be tried on a lunacy charge.

DIDN'T KNOW OLD TRICK; COST HIM FIVE DOLLARS

Flam-dammed out of \$5 by an unknown man about forty-five years old, Charles Collins, of 638 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, complained to Captain Boardman, at Detective Headquarters, last night.

Collins says the stranger asked him to change a \$10 bill. He counted out \$10 and the stranger handed him the bill. Collins took the bill and handed over the \$10 note. As he was about to stuff it into his pocket he said: "Oh, by the way, I have some ones in my coat pocket. Give me that \$10 bill." Collins complied with the request. The stranger then counted out ten bills, but Collins said the change and after he had disappeared Collins found he had been given only \$5 instead of \$10.

15,000,000 Gallons Wines

Were destroyed in the San Francisco warehouses. Since that disaster the California shippers announce the intricate heavy advance of their prices. Well developed old Wines are now scarce. But the ample storage capacity of the California wine and wine his system of always keeping large parcels of the best obtainable California Wines, enable

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Anti Sauterne, Anti Albar Wine, and A. B. Burger Wine at...\$3.00 doz.
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Whaley Held to Explain Big "Raise" of Warrant

Must Tell All About How He Tried to Get \$359,000 on Paper That Called For Only \$3.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Harry L. Whaley, of 236 West 126th street, the cook yesterday morning walked gleefully into the New York and Night Bank and tried to draw out \$359,000 on a \$3 lubricating oil warrant, was today held in the Tombs police court.

Whaley was held for examination next Tuesday upon the technical charge of forgery, although the work of "raising" the city warrant from \$3 to \$359,000 was so crude and "raw" that Magistrate Breen and others were inclined to believe that Whaley was the victim of some horrible practical joke.

Deputy Comptroller Cooley was in court when the case was called to identify both the prisoner and the city warrant, but there was no occasion for either, because Whaley admitted his identity, and the warrant in evidence was given "raised."

It was agreed that \$10,000 was heavy enough, and at that sum bail was fixed.

WELL-KNOWN OLD ACTOR PLAYS HIS LAST SCENE

NEW YORK, May 5.—Following an attack of Bright's disease a few weeks ago, William E. Owen, remembered for his artistic portrayal of the role of Toby Belch in "Twelfth Night," died yesterday in a private hospital in Sixty-first street. He was sixty-two years old. Funeral services will be held on Sunday at the rooms of the Stephen Merritt Bural Company, Eighth avenue and Nineteenth street.

Mr. Owen's death takes away one of the well-known old-time actors. Born in Limerick, Ireland, he went to Canada when a young man and then came to the United States and gained his first stage experience in the stock companies of forty years ago.

Mr. Owen often appeared in support of Edwin Booth, one of his favorite parts was Sir Anthony Absolute in "The Rivals." He was associated with Augustin Daly's enterprises for many years and appeared often with Miss Ada Rehan.

As Touchstone in "As You Like It," and as Falsgrave in "The Merchant of Venice," Robert Taber combination he was at his best.

Mr. Owen was a member of the Actors' Church Alliance, the Players' Club, and other organizations connected with theatrical life.

ALFONSO EATS FIVE MEALS EVERY DAY

MADRID, May 3.—Although he never has visited New York, King Alfonso is as fond of early morning suppers as any frequent of Broadway's all-night restaurants. His majesty keeps a palace cook on duty until 4 a. m., so that he can have a supper at any hour after midnight.

The King is devoted to the pleasures of the table. Five meals are served daily in the Escorial palace. Here is the King's eating schedule for the day:

8 a. m.—Breakfast: Tea, coffee, chocolate, milk, and cold meat.
11 a. m.—Lunch, with the ministers of state: Soup, two entrees, joint, vegetables, sweets, and fruit.
4 p. m.—Dinner: Two soups, two entrees, two joints, vegetables, ices, sweets, fruits, Spanish wines, champagne.
9:30 p. m.—Tea, wines, cold meat, cakes, and dessert.

BURBANK DIVORCE SUIT HAS BEEN DISMISSED

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., May 5.—The case of ex-Lieut. S. Burbank against Conception Vazquez, a Filipino woman, for divorce, was dismissed in the district court today for want of prosecution.

This was the episode, the publicity of which landed Burbank in the Federal prison after a trial in the Philippines by court-martial. Burbank was sentenced to fifteen months' imprisonment.

WIFE'S NOSE BROKEN, HUSBAND IS ARRESTED

Wife beating is the charge against Andrew Beverly, colored, who was arrested by police of the Seventh district last night. It is alleged that the man went to his wife's home at 1431 Thirty-second street, Georgetown, fractured her nose and otherwise injured her about the face with vicious blows. At the Georgetown University Hospital it was said the woman was severely injured but would probably be able to leave the institution this afternoon.

ATTEMPTED TO SHOOT HIS COLLEGE CLASSMATE

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., May 5.—A fight between students, which nearly resulted in murder in a billiard room in this city today, caused a sensation. H. D. Watson, of Hopkinton, Ky., it is said, tried to kill R. S. Sawyer, of New York, who attended college here.

Watson pulled a gun and fired at Sawyer, who was sitting down. Not only did he miss, but he wounded two. The cause of the trouble, it is said, was that Watson charged Sawyer with gossiping about him.

It was agreed that \$10,000 was heavy enough, and at that sum bail was fixed.

LOST.

REWARD OFFERED for the recovery of the watch chain, silver cup taken from 111 H st. n.w., the cup is octagonal in shape, each end engraved with flowers like hollyhock bells, \$25 reward for cup alone. Address BOX 573, Times office. my-5-3t

LOST—Money in brown bag, Kangaroo brand, Saturday. Reward if returned to BOX 277, Times office. my-5-3t

LOST—Black feather bag, between 32nd and 33rd st. and Pennsylvania ave. se. Return to 230 B st. se. and receive reward. my-5-3t

FREE—TAPEWORMS removed in four hours free of charge to introduce our remedy. Call 218 John Marshall place. my-5-3t

LOST—Bank book 1024 of the East Washington Savings Bank. Kindly return to W. WALDRON, 216 9th st. se., or the above bank. Reward. my-5-3t

LOST—\$1,000, by mishap or theft, on Pennsylvania ave. between Treasury 7th and 8th st. n.w. Reward if returned to 218 John Marshall place. my-5-3t

LOST—HAT, GIBBER SAFETY LOCKER, will prevent misfortune of this nature. Made by H. D. Watson, of Hopkinton, Ky. Ask your dealer for it or send us 5 cents and receive one by return mail. ROOMS 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

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